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AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 11, 2010, Applicant respectfully requests continued examination of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Prior to the next Office Action, please amend this application as follows:

No Amendments to the Abstract or Specification are made in this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are described on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.